

Fiscal 2016 Term and Condition

Department of Correction-Jail Violence

The Department of Correction (“DOC”) provided the attached report on October 15, 2015 as part of the below Fiscal 2016 term and condition. The term and condition requires DOC to provide quarterly reports to the Council detailing the actual numbers of occurrences of jail violence in total and by listing adults, young adults, and adolescent inmates separately.

Department of Correction (072)

Unit of Appropriation [001] and [002] – PS

Unit of Appropriation [003] and [004] –OTPS

As a condition to the expenditure of funds appropriated to the unit of appropriation numbers 001, 002, 003, and 004, the Department shall provide quarterly reports to the Council detailing the actual numbers of occurrences of jail violence in total and by listing adults, young adults, and adolescent inmates separately. Such reports shall include the number of: 1) violent inmate-on-inmate incidents; 2) serious injury to inmate(s) as a result of violent inmate-on-inmate incidents; 3) inmate assault on staff; 4) serious injury to staff as a result of inmate assault on staff; 5) Department use of force incidents with serious injury; 6) Department use of force incidents with minor injury; and 7) Department use of force incidents with no injury.

The quarterly updates shall be submitted as follows: the first report shall be submitted on or before October 15, 2015 and shall cover the period beginning July 1, 2015 and ending September 30, 2015. The second update shall be submitted on or before January 15, 2016 and shall cover the period beginning October 1, 2015 and ending December 31, 2015. The third update shall be submitted on or before April 15, 2016 and shall cover the period beginning January 1, 2016 and ending March 31, 2016. The fourth update shall be submitted on or before July 15, 2016 and shall cover the period beginning April 1, 2016 and ending June 30, 2016.

If you have any questions, please contact Steve Riester at SRiester@council.nyc.gov

DEPARTMENT TOTALS

FY16
1ST QUARTER
JUL-SEPT

ADOL (16-17)	YA (18-21)	ADULT (22+)	TOTALS
180	126	1082	1388
3	15	65	83
25	79	158	262
1	2	6	9
3	7	13	23
55	213	273	541
98	250	381	729

1) VIOLENT INMATE-ON-INMATE INCIDENTS

2) SERIOUS INJURY TO INMATE(S) AS A RESULT OF VIOLENT INMATE-ON-INMATE INCIDENTS

3) INMATE ASSAULT ON STAFF

4) SERIOUS INJURY TO STAFF AS A RESULT OF INMATE ASSAULT ON STAFF

5) USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS WITH SERIOUS INJURY

6) USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS WITH MINOR INJURY

7) USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS WITH NO INJURY

1) Violent Inmate-on-inmate incidents - includes all instances of fights, assaults, stabbing, and slashing incidents that occur between inmates.

2) Serious Injury to Inmate(s) as a result of violent inmate-on-inmate incidents - includes any violent inmate-on-inmate incidents resulting in an inmate injury that requires a level of treatment beyond the application of analgesics or minor first aid.

3) Assault on Staff - Assault on Staff incidents includes all incidents in which an inmate commits an act of physical aggression including use of physical force (e.g. punch, kick, drag/pull, push/shove, slap, or bite) against; uses an inanimate object (e.g., handcuff, wall, chair, non-bodily fluids, or food) on, throws, tosses, or expels bodily fluids (blood, semen, urine or feces) on; and/or spits on either uniformed or civilian staff.

4) Serious Injury to Staff as a result of an inmate assault on staff - These type of incidents include assault on staff incidents resulting in injury to staff that requires a level of treatment beyond the application of analgesics or minor first aid.

5) Use of Force Incidents with Serious Injury - Use of Force incident that requires medical treatment beyond the prescription of over-the-counter analgesics or the administration of minor first aid, including those Uses of Force resulting in one (1) or more of the following treatments/injuries: Multiple Abrasions and/or contusions; chipped or cracked tooth; loss of tooth; laceration; puncture; fracture; loss of consciousness, including concussion; sutures; internal injuries, e.g., ruptured spleen, perforated eardrum, etc; and admission to a hospital.

6) Use of Force Incidents with Minor Injury - Use of Force incident which does not require hospitalization or medical treatment beyond the prescription of over-the-counter analgesics or the administration of minor first aid, a Use of Force which results in a superficial bruise, scrape, scratch, or minor swelling.

7) Use of Force Incidents with No Injury - Use of Force incident in which "no injury" is incurred by anyone involved in the incident.